

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

STEVEN DEAN RITCHIE : CIVIL ACTION
v. :
: NO. 02-2858
JEFFREY BEARD et al. :

ORDER

AND NOW, this 13th day of January, 2003, upon
consideration of petitioner Steven Dean Ritchie's request for an
enlargement of time to file a statement of objections to the
Report and Recommendation of Magistrate Judge James R. Melinson,
it is hereby ORDERED that petitioner shall FILE his statement of
objections by March 6, 2003.

BY THE COURT:

Stewart Dalzell, J.